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2022/23 SOUTHEAST ALASKA COMMERCIAL SEA CUCUMBER FISHERY OPENING REVISION

After further consultation with the Southern Regional Dive Fisheries Association, the following commercial sea cucumber fishery areas will shift to the dates and times listed below to provide divers with opportunity to participate in other regional dive fisheries. For all other areas, opening times announced in the 2022/23 Southeast Alaska Sea Cucumber Fishery advisory announcement released on December 1, 2022, will remain in effect.

The following areas will be open from 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. on Sunday, December 4, Monday, December 5, and Tuesday, December 6, 2022:

District 1

George Inlet, Bold Island, and Carroll Inlet (Subdistricts 101-40, 44, 45, 46, and 48);

East Behm Canal and Smeaton Bay (Subdistricts 101-51 and 55);

Rudyerd Bay, East Behm Canal, and Walker Cove (Subdistricts 101-51, 60, 71, and 73);

North Behm Canal (Subdistrict 101-80);

District 2

Cholmondeley Sound (Subdistrict 102-40).

The Emergency Order corresponding with this announcement is EO 1M3422.

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